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United States Patents

<u>U.S. Patent No.</u>	<u>Patentee</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
3,270,664	Veneman et al.	09-06-1966
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Foreign Patent Documents

<u>Country</u>	<u>Foreign Patent No.</u>	<u>Patentee</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
EP	0 719 891	Valmet Corporation	07-03-1996
WO	01/23666	Metso Paper, Inc.	04-05-2001

Other Documents

International Preliminary Examination Report issued in International Patent Application No. PCT/FI00/00821

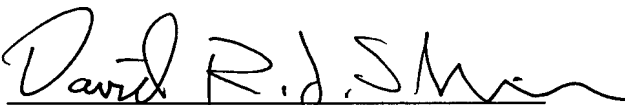
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